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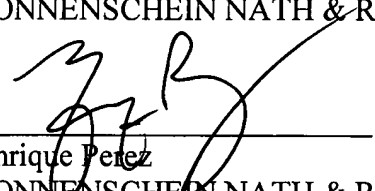
PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2003, for three (3) months from February 6, 2004 to May 6, 2004. Enclosed is form PTO-2038 authorizing the Commissioner to charge the amount of \$950.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

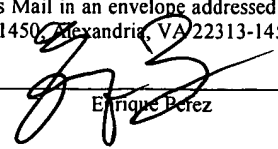
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required, as well as any patent application processing fees associated with this communication for which full payment has not been tendered, to Deposit Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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